

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of
MARK JAMES BECKMAN

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For: PROCESS FOR ASSEMBLY
AND INSTALLATION OF A SNACK
PACKAGE ADAPTED FOR ATTACHMENT
TO A BEVERAGE CONTAINER
THEREBY ALLOWING THE
COMBINATION TO TAKE UP THE
SAME SHELF SPACE AS THE
CONTAINER ALONE FOR VENDING
AND OFF-THE SHELF
SALES WITH AUGMENTED
MARKETING ADAPTATION

ART UNIT 3654

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Examiner: Rakesh Kumar

RESPONSE TO OFFICE COMMUNICATION concerning this
application mailed 01/08/2007

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D. C. 20231

Responsive to the communication having a mailing date of
01/08/2007 regarding the filing of this application on 04 December
2007:

Examiner Kumar has made a determination that the patent
application contains claims directed to two distinct species

Species I – Figure 1-3 and 8-10

Species II -- Figure 4-7.

The application contains claims 1-32 that are pending as of the
election of species requirement.